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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of March 19, 2002, applicants hereby
amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

~~Please cancel claims 14 and 29.~~

~~Please replace claims 1-13, 15-28, and 30, with the following amended versions of the
claims:~~

1. (Amended) A method for interactive wagering on races, comprising:
receiving user inputs;
providing the user with an opportunity to initiate one of an expert
wager input interface and a novice wager input interface;
presenting the user with a single selection window when the user
initiates the expert wager input interface, wherein the single selection window

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